San Luis Obispo County Pesticide Enforcement Program Statistics

	2006	2007	2008
Operator identification numbers issued ¹	361	376	378
Restricted material permits issued ¹	590	650	547
Permits denied ¹	84	1	1
Multi-year permits ¹	484	230	412
Total permitted sites ^{1, 2}	10,116	3,525	3,586
Notices of intent (NOIs) reviewed ¹	5,476	5,657	4,785
NOIs assessed (Pre-application site inspections) ¹	178	176	166
NOIs denied ¹	61	24	31
Pounds of pesticide applied (active ingredient) ³	2,091,033	1,939,704	2,359,414
Number of agricultural applications ³	81,167	76,980	69,226
Number of non-agricultural applications ^{3,4}	155,569	198,361	232,867
Number of all inspections ¹	668	571	669
Unclaimed Gas Tax Distribution ^{5,6}	\$340,904	\$351,442	\$399,850
Pesticide Mill Assessment ⁵	\$417,589	\$425,394	\$433,200

Footnotes

¹ Source: Pesticide Regulatory Activities Monthly Report (PRAMR)

² Some counties did not report any permitted sites.

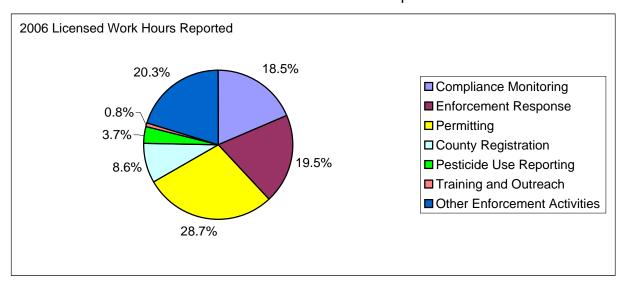
³ Source: Department of Pesticide Regulation Pesticide Use Report Database; includes non-permitted sites on operator identification numbers.

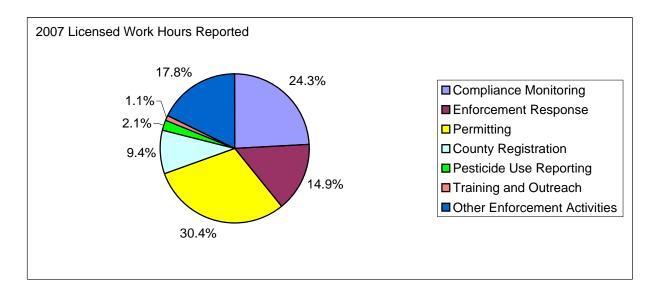
⁴ Analysis of data indicates some problems with reporting and accurately recording these figures.

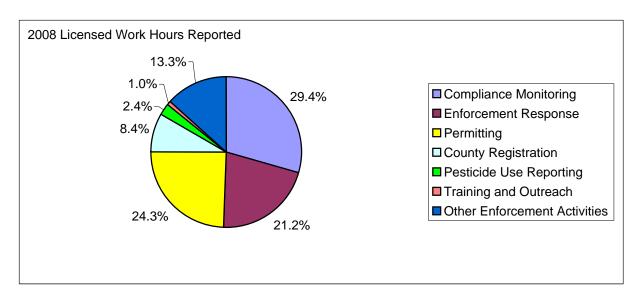
⁵Funding is on a fiscal year basis and is based on the prior year's workload.

⁶ Funding is on a fiscal year basis. This amount represents 36 percent of the full amount distributed by CDFA for all 10 agricultural programs (FAC 2282) and pesticide use enforcement. The 36 percent represents the typical amount dedicated to pesticide use enforcement.

San Luis Obispo County 2006, 2007, and 2008 Work Load Distribution Total Licensed Work Hours Reported







			Cale	ndar Yea	ar 2006			Calendar Year 2007						Calendar Year 2008							
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Inspection Type	Number of Inspections	Items That Did Comply	Items That Did Not Comply	Total Items	Rate	Inspections With a Violation	Inspections with 100% Compliance	Number of Inspections	Items That Did Comply	Items That Did Not Comply	Total Items	Rate	Inspections With a Violation	Inspections with 100% Compliance	Number of Inspections	Items That Did Comply	Items That Did Not Comply	Total Items	Rate	Inspections With a Violation	Inspections with 100% Compliance
Agricultural																					
Field Worker Safety	70	311	17	328	94.8%	14	80.0%	65	288	11	299	96.3%	9	86.2%	53	238	11	249	95.6%	9	83.0%
Pesticide Use - Application	163	2,456	123	2,579	95.2%	48	70.6%	140	2,084	192	2,276	91.6%	46	67.1%	176	2,618	229	2,847	92.0%	74	58.0%
Pesticide Use - Mix Load	77	1,368	13	1,381	99.1%	11	85.7%	51	912	31	943	96.7%	8	84.3%	53	920	24	944	97.5%	9	83.0%
Commodity Fumigation	0							0							1	5	13	18	27.8%	1	0.0%
Field Fumigation	22	606	2	608	99.7%	1	95.5%	33	926	13	939	98.6%	8	75.8%	32	894	16	910	98.2%	8	75.0%
Records	83	1,326	119	1,445	91.8%	38	54.2%	68	1,111	78	1,189	93.4%	27	60.3%	110	1,729	115	1,844	93.8%	30	72.7%
Totals:	415	6,067	274	6,341	95.7%	112	73.0%	357	5,321	325	5,646	94.2%	98	72.5%	425	6,404	408	6,812	94.0%	131	69.2%
Structural																					
Fumigation	24	765	9	774	98.8%	6	75.0%	11	357		357	100.0%		100.0%	21	680	11	691	98.4%	5	76.2%
Non-Fumigation Application	16	296	8	304	97.4%	5	68.8%	9	176	2	178	98.9%	2	77.8%	23	436	5	441	98.9%	4	82.6%
Non-Fumigation Mix Load	5	88		88	100.0%		100.0%	2	31	2	33	93.9%	1	50.0%	11	199	2	201	99.0%	2	81.8%
Records	18	151	9	160	94.4%	6	66.7%	2	15	2	17	88.2%	1	50.0%	19	161	13	174	92.5%	9	52.6%
Totals:	63	1,300	26	1,326	98.0%	17	73.0%	24	579	6	585	99.0%	4	83.3%	74	1,476	31	1,507	97.9%	20	73.0%
Overall Totals:	478	7,367	300	7,667	96.1%	129	73.0%	381	5,900	331	6,231	94.7%	102	73.2%	499	7,880	439	8,319	94.7%	151	69.7%

San Luis Obispo County Closed Compliance Actions and Closed Enforcement Actions

	2006		20	007	2008			
	Hours	Numbers	Hours	Numbers	Hours	Numbers		
VIII. Compliance Actions								
A. Warning Letters / Violation Notices		357		239		78		
B. Cease and Desist Orders		6		3		25		
C. Documented Compliance Interviews		1		1		1		
Total:	1,203	364	1,313	243	1,856	104		
IX. Enforcement Actions								
A. Administrative Action:								
1. Restricted Materials Permit		0		0		0		
2. Private Applicator Certifications		0		0		0		
3. County Registrations		0		0		0		
4. Structural Civil Penalties		2		6		8		
5. Agricultural Civil Penalties		49		20		50		
B. Judicial Actions:								
1. Notice to Appear (Citations)		0		0		0		
2. Cases Submitted to DA		0		0		0		
3. Civil Complaints Filed		0		0		0		
4. Criminal Complaints Filed		0		0		0		
C. Referrals to DPR		0		0		0		
Total:	1,842	51	1,197	26	1,624	58		

Note: Compliance and Enforcement actions are not necessarily taken in the same fiscal year when the violation occurs. Additionally, some actions may be due to discovery of violations by means other than inspections such as through investigations.

San Luis Obispo County

Most Common Agricultural Violations

Agricultural Elements Evaluated	Number of Violations								
Agricultural Elements Evaluated	2006	2007	2008	Total					
Handler Training	42	26	52	120					
Labeling - Permit Conditions	18	32	53	103					
Personal Protective Equipment	30	32	40	102					
PCB/Equipment Registered	16	37	43	96					
Emergency Medical Care/Handler	18	27	26	71					
Service Container Labeling	17	29	23	69					
Handler Decontamination Facilities	28	10	17	55					
Hazard Communication - Fieldworkers	22	12	12	46					
Availability of Labeling	5	18	20	43					
Equipment Identification	6	18	15	39					

Most Common Structural Violations

Structural Elements Evaluated	Number of Violations								
Structural Elements Evaluated	2006	2007	2008	Total					
Written Notice to Occupant	6	0	3	9					
Annual Notification Submitted	1	0	4	5					
Pesticide Use Reports/Neg. PUR	1	1	3	5					
Personal Protective Equipment	3	0	2	5					
Service Container Labeling	1	1	2	4					
Standards and Records	1	0	2	3					
Pesticide Disclosure	3	0	0	3					
Labeling - Permit Conditions	1	1	1	3					
Container Requirements	0	2	1	3					
General Fumigation Safe-Use	0	0	3	3					

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